

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/517013 Confirmation No. 2762  
Applicant : Yoshitsugu Nishi et al.  
Filed : January 11, 2005  
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Examiner : Helen Ok Chu  
  
Title : METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEPARATOR FOR  
FUEL CELL, AND METHOD OF CONNECTING THE  
SEPARATOR TO ELECTRODE DIFFUSION LAYER  
Docket No. : SHM-15810  
Customer No. : 040854

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

(In response to Paper No./Mail Date 20080916)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated September 19, 2008. The one month period for responding to the Office action expires on October 19, 2008. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.